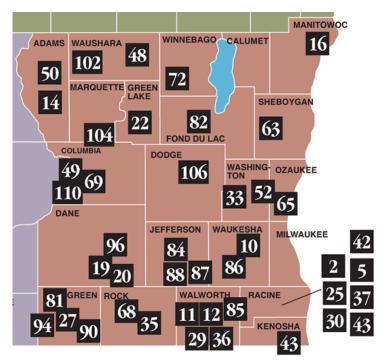
Wisconsin Rustic Roads - Southeast Region



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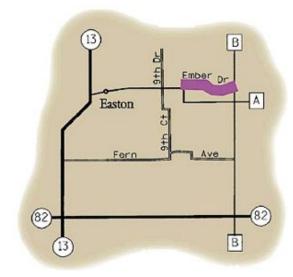
- Adams County: R14 and R50
- Calumet County: none
- Columbia County: <u>R49</u>, <u>R69</u>, <u>R104</u> and <u>R110</u>
- Dane County: R19, R20, R96
- Dodge County: R106
- Fond du Lac County: R82
- Green County: <u>R27</u>, <u>R81</u>, <u>R90</u> and <u>R94</u>
- Green Lake County: R22
- Jefferson County: R84, R87 and R88
- Kenosha County: R43
- Manitowoc County: R16
- Marquette County: R104
- Milwaukee County: none
- Ozaukee County: <u>R52</u> and <u>R65</u>
- Racine County: <u>R2</u>, <u>R5</u>, <u>R25</u>, <u>R30</u>, <u>R37</u>, <u>R42</u> and <u>R43</u>
- Rock County: R35 and R68
- Sheboygan County: R63
- Walworth County: R11, R12, R29, R36 and R85
- Waukesha County: R10 and R86
- Waushara County: R48 and R102
- Washington County: R33 and R52
- Winnebago County: R72

Adams County Rustic Road 14

Location: Adams County. Ember Drive between County A Highway and County Highway B.

Length: 2 miles Surface: Gravel

This thickly forested area supports a multitude of wildlife and wildflowers. The road winds through a cleft on top of a bluff. A natural spring runs from the top of the bluff down the side of the road to the east.

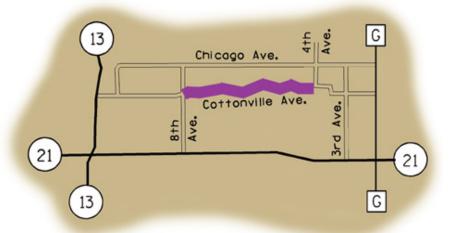


Rustic Road 50

Location: Adams County. Cottonville Avenue (Old State Road), from Eighth Drive east to Fourth Avenue.

Length: 4.6 miles **Surface:** Unpaved

Locals call this road the State Road because it was laid out by the state, probably in the 1800's. Vistas along this road include native lowland and upland trees, shrubbery and marshes. Wild birds, deer, and grouse abound.

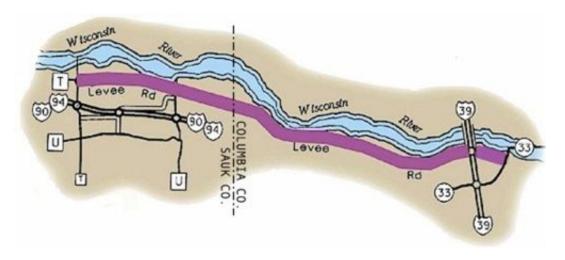


Columbia County Rustic Road 49

Location: Sauk and Columbia Counties. Levee Road, beginning at the intersection with County T east to the intersection with WIS 33.

Length: 9.8 miles **Surface:** Paved

Levee Road travels through the Aldo Leopold reserve along the Wisconsin River, giving motorists, bikers and hikers an opportunity to view prairie grasses, wildlife, trees and marsh in their natural setting.

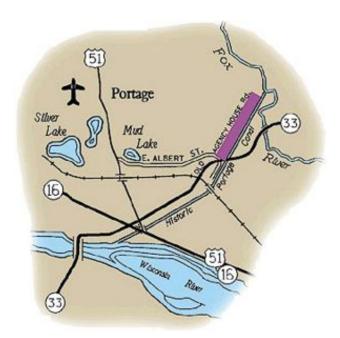




Location: Columbia County. Old Agency House Road, from East Albert Street to the north end near the Old Indian Agency House.

Length: .75 miles **Surface:** Paved

R69 travels along the historic Portage Canal. On one side of the road are wetlands which serve as a habitat for sand hill cranes, blue heron, and many other birds. The road leads to the historic Indian Agency House. Built in 1832, the house is open to the public. The northeast end of the road connects with the Marquette Trail. One can also view the remnants of the Old Fort Winnebago Locks. This canal joined the Fox and Wisconsin Rivers, making travel by water possible for the first time from Green Bay to the Gulf of Mexico.

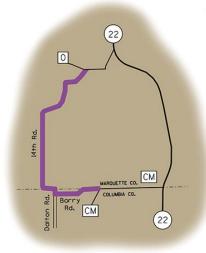




Location: Marquette and Columbia Counties. 14th Road and Barry Avenue between County O and County CM.

Length: 2.8 miles **Surface:** Paved

This road passes over hills and valleys closely bordered by mixed hardwood forests and large cottonwood trees. Picturesque, century-old farms can be seen from several locations. The French Creek Wildlife Area and John Muir State Natural Area are nearby. There are remnant prairie patches and abundant wildlife along R-104.



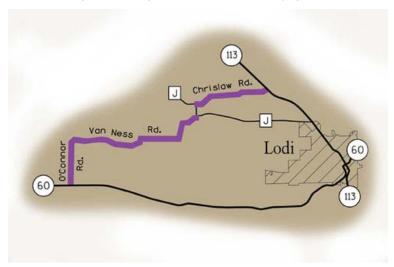
Rustic Road 110

Location: Columbia County. Portions of O'Connor, Van Ness and Chrislaw roads between WIS 60 and WIS 113.

Length: 5.9 miles

Surface: Paved

R110 meanders through prime agricultural land interspersed with ponds and small lakes, marshland and rolling hills covered in trees. Wildlife abounds through the route. Outstanding fall foliage make R110 a very good tour route.



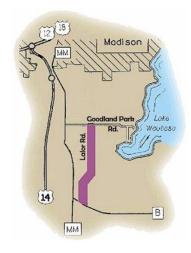
Dane County Rustic Road 19

Location: Dane County. North from County Highway B on Lalor Road to Goodland Park

Road.

Length: 2.3 miles **Surface:** Paved

Bordered on either side by native prairie plants, including numerous stands of wild plum and scattered wild asparagus, R19 crosses Swan and Murphy Creeks and borders the Waubesa Wetlands preserve. Set back in the evergreens along one side of the road is the William Lalor Farm, originally purchased from the government in 1846. President James Polk signed the original deed.



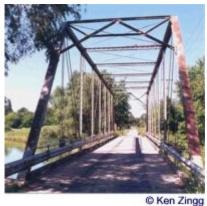
Rustic Road 20

Location: Dane County. Dyreson Road, from Schneider Road north to County AB.

Length: 2.9 miles **Surface:** Paved

Rich in heritage, Dyreson Road travels through fertile farmland and wooded areas. The road offers an excellent view of Lake Kegonsa as it crosses County B. Historic Dyreson Bridge over the Yahara River is the site of early Indian and pioneer crossings and is adjacent to ancient Indian effigy mound sites. Nearby wetlands provide glimpses of native waterfowl, fish and wildlife. Also located on the road is Dyreson House, an early Wisconsin homestead listed in the Wisconsin State Historical Society's Inventory of Historic Places.





Dyreson Bridge near Madison

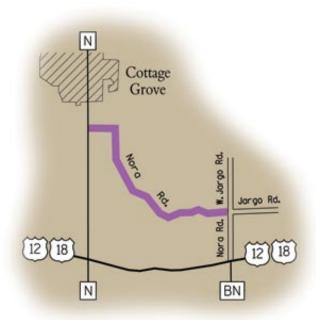
Location: Dane County, Town of Cottage Grove. Nora Road located off County N just south

of Cottage Grove.

Length: 3.6 miles

Surface: Paved

R-96 is a mix of rolling hills, farmlands, woods and marshes inhabited by cranes, deer and a variety of other wildlife.



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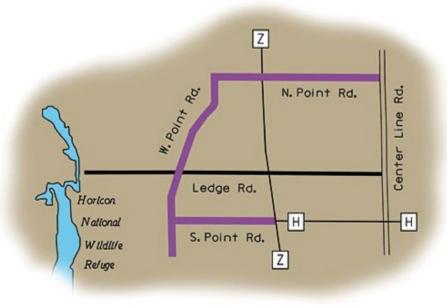
Rustic Road 106

Location: Dodge County. Ledge, North Point, South Point and West Point roads south of STH 49 and County Z intersection, Town of LeRoy.

Length: 7.2 miles

Surface: Paved and gravel

R-106 has rolling hills and wonderful farm vistas. Parts of the route are adjacent to the Horicon National Wildlife Refuge. The Bud Cook Hiking Trail is accessible from West Point Road and has viewing scopes to see wildlife in the marsh. The southern end of West Point Road also provides access to the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Educational Barn, where visitors can learn more about the Horicon National Wildlife Refuge.



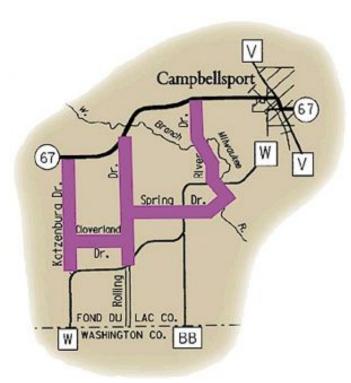
Fond du Lac County

Rustic Road 82

Location: Fond du Lac County. The River Road Route in the Town of Ashford is situated between Highway 67 on the north and County W on the south.

Length: 9.4 miles **Surface:** Paved

R82 comprises five roads: River Drive, Spring Drive, Rolling Drive, Cloverland Drive, and Katzenburg Drive. This route takes travelers through wetlands, rolling hills, old-growth wooded areas, and scenic agricultural areas.

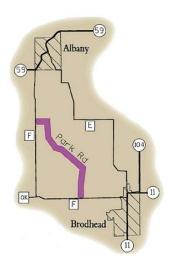


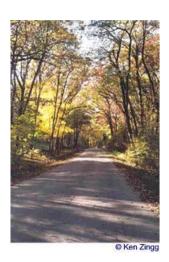
Green County Rustic Road 27

Location: Green County. Park Road forming a loop off of County F.

Length: 4.3 miles Surface: Paved

Along this scenic and historic route you will find the Decatur Town Monument historical marker, the site of Indian camps, the oldest home in Decatur, and the Decatur Lake and dam. With its excellent views of high bluffs and dense woods, Park Road travels through some of the most beautiful landscape in the area. The Sugar River State Bicycle Trail is located nearby.



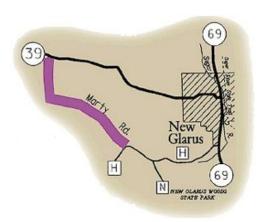


Rustic Road 81

Location: Green County. Marty Road beginning at the intersection of County H and running northwesterly until its intersection with WIS 39.

Length: 2.9 miles Surface: Paved

R81 is a designated bike trail and travels for most of its length along a ridge which provides vistas of Wisconsin's rolling hill country. The route is partially tree-lined with canopies of hardwood trees. Wildflowers and wildlife abound. Marty Road was constructed in the late 1800's as a farm supply conduit and five original farm houses are within view of the road.



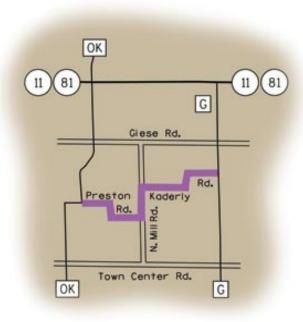


Location: Green County. Portions of Preston, Mill and Kaderly Roads between County OK and County G.

Length: 3.2 miles

Surface: Paved

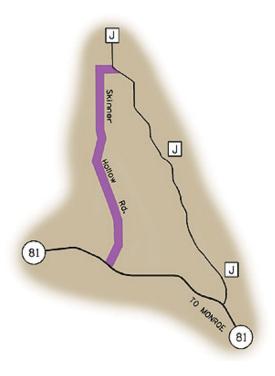
Local residents go out of their way to travel along this quiet country road. It offers stunning vistas of rolling countryside rising to distant hills. Stalwart 300-year-old oak, basswood, hickory and maple form a shady green tunnel in spring and summer that turns russet and gold in autumn. On County G, at the eastern end of this route, is a striking contrast of yesterday and today – a weathered old barn opposite a large, modern dairy operation.



Location: Green County. Skinner Hollow Road from WIS 81 to County J in the towns of Jordan and Adams.

Length: 4.6 milesSurface: Paved

Skinner Hollow Road (R-94), offers scenic views of streams, valleys and wooded areas. Rich in history, the road's name comes from one of the area's first recorded lead prospectors, John B. Skinner. Various prospect diggings or "badger holes" are located along the area's valley, and many Native American artifacts have also been found. As the road crosses Skinner Creek, it passes through an area that was once a mill pond for one of the area's early sawmills. Three cheese factories once operated along the road, although only one remains as a residence. The road overlooks prairie remnants, wetlands and rock outcroppings that provide habitat for abundant wildlife from bald eagles to sand hill cranes.





Green Lake County

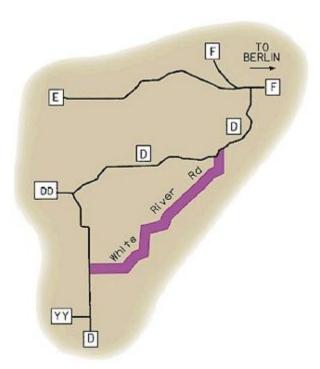
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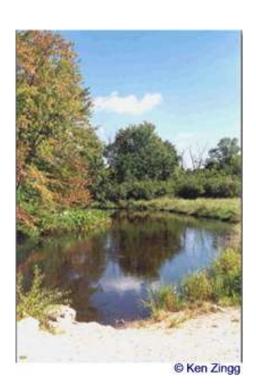
Location: Green Lake County. White River Road from County D to Big Island Road, north of Princeton.

Length: 5.5 miles

Surface: Gravel and paved portions

This picturesque road passes through Department of Natural Resources' natural woodland and water areas. Abundant with wildlife, this road features two rustic plank bridges along the way.





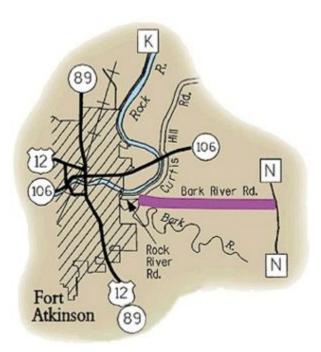
Jefferson County

Rustic Road 84

Location: Jefferson County. Bark River Road in the Town of Koshkonong beginning at Rock River Road and ending at County Highway N.

Length: 2.2 milesSurface: Paved

R84 parallels the Bark River. This route features wooded areas and agricultural vistas. In the summer, a popular stop for outdoor enthusiasts is the unique artesian drinking fountain located halfway along the route. Native vegetation and wildlife including deer, turkey, cranes, hawks, and owls abound.

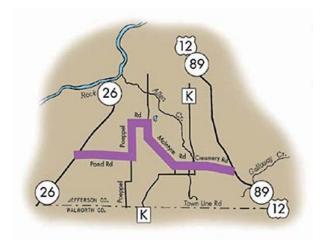




Location: Jefferson County. Includes portions of Creamery, McIntyre, Poeppel, and Pond Roads from US 12 to WIS 26.

Length: 6.8 miles **Surface:** Paved

R87 winds through hilly, active farmland interspersed with canopies of trees. Deer, wild turkey, cranes and hawks frequently grace the view. The route also features a family cherry orchard, and the historic South Koshkonong Cemetery. Mustang Ranch, the only riding stable in the country that features once-wild mustangs, is nearby.

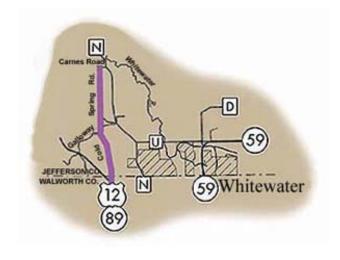


Rustic Road 88

Location: Jefferson County. Cold Spring Road from Carnes Road near County N to US 12.

Length: 3.5 miles **Surface:** Paved

R88 travels through a gently rolling countryside of mixed farm fields and woods. In places, large oaks arch over the road. There are several very beautiful barns built close to the road. Near the south end, you'll see a handsome, brick Victorian farmhouse in excellent condition. Along the route you can also see St. John's Church built in 1884, the beautifully-kept Cold Spring Cemetery dating back to the 1840's, and an historical marker commemorating Abraham Lincoln's service in the Blackhawk War.





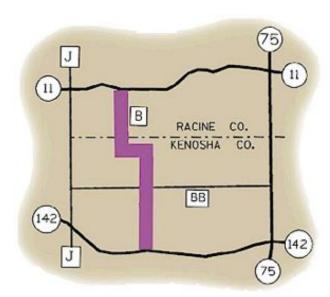
Kenosha County

Rustic Road 43

Location: Racine/Kenosha Counties. County Highway B from the intersection of WIS 142 in Kenosha County to its intersection with WIS 11 in Racine County.

Length: 3.7 milesSurface: Paved

Passing through open agricultural land with few residences, this route provides direct access to the Bong Recreational Area.



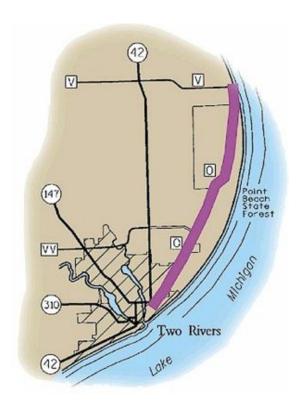
Manitowoc County

Rustic Road 16

Location: Manitowoc County. Sandy Bay Road runs along Lake Michigan from County V, south to the corporate limits of Two Rivers.

Length: 5.2 miles Surface: Paved

This gently winding route runs through Point Beach State Forest, bordered on either side by thick groves of deciduous and coniferous trees. Sandy Bay Road offers many glimpses of birds and other wildlife, as well as open vistas of natural sand dunes, including juniper bushes and other types of shrubbery.





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Marquette County

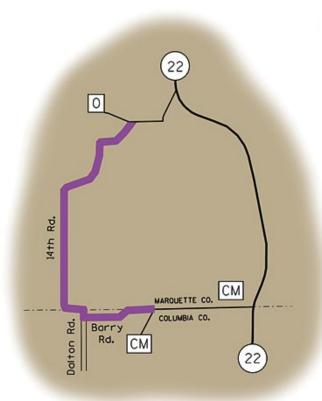
Rustic Road 104

Location: Marquette and Columbia Counties. 14th Road and Barry Avenue between County

 $\ensuremath{\text{O}}$ and $\ensuremath{\text{County}}$ CM.

Length: 2.8 milesSurface: Paved

This road passes over hills and valleys closely bordered by mixed hardwood forests and large cottonwood trees. Picturesque, century-old farms can be seen from several locations. The French Creek Wildlife Area and John Muir State Natural Area are nearby. There are remnant prairie patches and abundant wildlife along R-104.



Ozaukee County

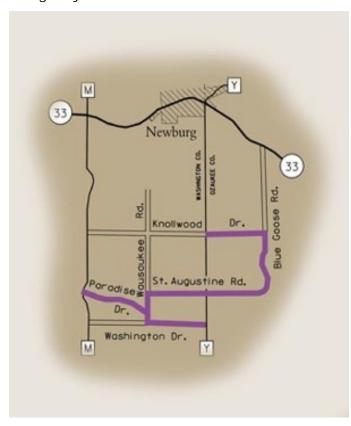
Rustic Road 52

Location: Washington and Ozaukee Counties. Portions of Paradise and Washington drives, Wausaukee, St. Augustine, Bluegoose and Knollwood roads between County M and abutting County Y south of Newburg.

Length: 6.7 miles

Surface: Paved and gravel

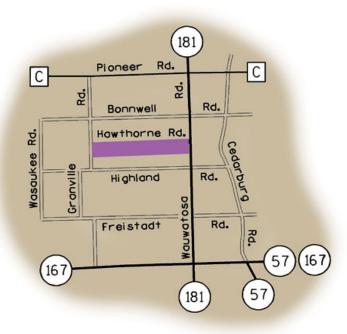
This wooded, rural road is located in one of the highest points in Washington County and offers a scenic panorama of the surrounding countryside. There are several historical buildings and farmsteads including a log home and an old fieldstone house dating to the late 1800's. While on Blue Goose and St. Augustine roads in Ozaukee County, travelers will go past portions of the Cedarburg Bog State Natural Area - one of the largest and most biologically diverse wetland areas in Wisconsin.



Location: Ozaukee County. R65 is between Wauwatosa Road and Granville Road in he City of Mequon.

Length: 2 miles
Surface: Gravel

Hawthorne Road is the only gravel road currently left in the City of Mequon. Many oak, maple and weeping willow trees line more than half the road and provide a canopy in the summer and a blaze of color in the fall. The remaining open land along R65 is under cultivation or is pasture land for horses and sheep. This provides for pleasant agricultural vistas. The area surrounding the road is habitat for a variety of wildlife including deer, rabbits, hawks, and songbirds. It is a road that is popular with hikers, bikers, equestrians and motorists.

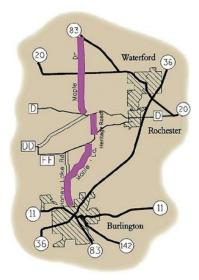


Racine County Rustic Road 2

Location: Racine County. North from Burlington along Honey Lake Road, Maple Lane and Heritage Road to County Highway D. Continuing north along Maple Drive to WIS 83.

Length: 7.9 miles **Surface:** Paved

Under a canopy of trees, this route provides vistas of rolling fields and dairy farms. There is a marsh with waterfowl, muskrat houses and other wildlife in the Wehmhoff Woodland Preserve.

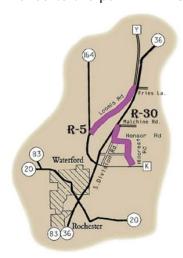


Rustic Road 5

Location: Racine County. Loomis Road beginning at WIS 164, north to Fries Lane and the intersection of Fries Lane and WIS 36.

Length: 3.1 miles **Surface:** Paved

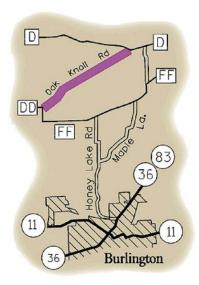
Loomis Road was originally laid out as a territorial road in 1840 and retains much of its original rustic lines. This route passes Col. Heg Memorial Park which commemorates Wisconsin's top ranking officer who was killed in action during the Civil War. A museum in the park emphasizes the heritage of a group of Norwegian settlers and their contribution to Wisconsin's development. There is also a small log cabin which was built in 1837, then moved to the park in 1928.



Location: Racine County. Oak Knoll Road from County Highway DD to its junction with County Highway D.

Length: 2.6 miles **Surface**: Paved

Adjacent to the Honey Creek Wildlife area, this road passes the Franklyn Hazelo Home (c. 1858), listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

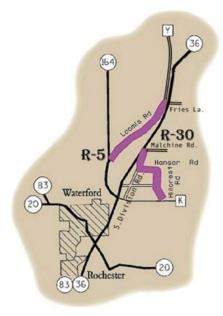


Rustic Road 30

Location: Racine County. Includes portions of Hillcrest, Hanson, Division and Malchine Roads between County Highway K and WIS 36.

Length: 2.3 miles **Surface:** Paved

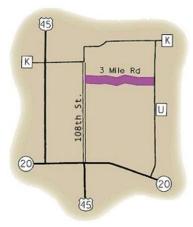
This route passes through woods, rolling meadows and lowland marshes, abounding in native vegetation and wildlife. Along the route is a historic one room school house.



Location: Racine County. Three Mile Road, beginning at 108th Street east to its intersection with 80th Street.

Length: 1.8 miles **Surface:** Paved

Numerous old oak trees and rail fences border the winding route that has never been widened nor has its basic course been changed since it was originally laid out in the early 1800's.



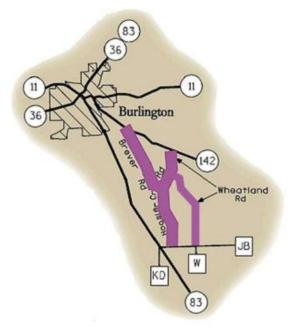
Rustic Road 42

Location: Racine County. Hoosier Creek Road from County Highway JB to WIS 142 via Brever Road or Wheatland Road

Length: 5.7 miles **Surface:** Paved

A canopy of large oak and black walnut trees graces Wheatland Road, just south of WIS 142. Travelers to this area will enjoy the open agricultural and marsh vistas in addition to an old brick farmhouse and several barns. Hoosier Creek Road is 1/2 mile away from the Fox River, providing fishing areas and some nice panoramic views.

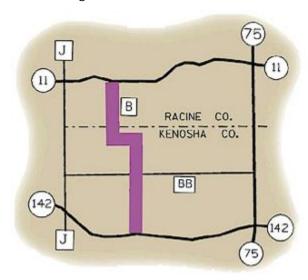
Note: Brever Road was added to the route in 1993.



Location: Racine/Kenosha Counties. County Highway B from the intersection of WIS 142 in Kenosha County to its intersection with WIS 11 in Racine County.

Length: 3.7 milesSurface: Paved

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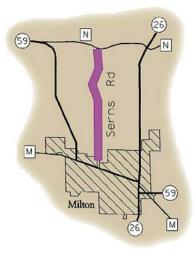


Rock County Rustic Road 35

Location: Rock County. Serns Road between County Highway N and North John Paul Road in the Town of Milton.

Length: 2.7 miles **Surface:** Paved

Stretching north out of the Town of Milton, Serns Road traverses picturesque and gently rolling agricultural terrain.

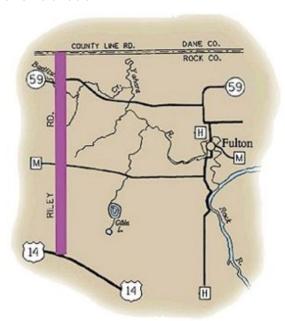


Rustic Road 68

Location: Rock County. Riley Road, from County Line Road to US 14.

Length: 5.7 miles **Surface:** Paved

R68 passes through woodlands, rolling meadows and lowland marshes abounding in native vegetation and wildlife. The route passes two historic houses: the 1850's Stebben's House and the Richardson Grout House. At the south end awaits a county wayside park for rest and relaxation.



Sheboygan County

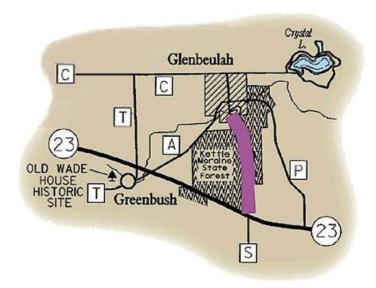
Rustic Road 63

Location: Sheboygan County. County S, beginning at the intersection of WIS 23 north to the Town of Glenbeulah.

Length: 2.4 miles

Surface: Paved and gravel portions

County Highway S rests on the remains of glacial sand and stone - some 10,000 years old. Winding north from WIS 23, one can see the remains of old farmland being reclaimed by the trees and shrubs since glacial soil made farming difficult. The last portion of the road runs through old forest and steep Kettle Moraine hills and curves. The Rustic Road route ends at the village limits of the historic Village of Glenbeulah. The Wade House State Park and the Wesley Jung Carriage Museum are nearby.



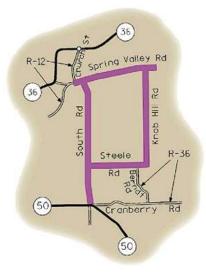


Walworth County Rustic Road 11

Location: Walworth County. To the east of Lake Geneva, R11 includes South Road, Steel Road, Spring Valley Road and Knob Hill Road between WIS 50 and WIS 36 adjoining R12 and R36.

Length: 10.3 miles Surface: Paved

This gently winding route provides excellent views of glacial Kettle Moraine topography, passing through large wooded areas of oak, maple and hickory, with glimpses of rustic rail fences, a game farm and scenic agricultural land. **Note:** Spring Valley Road and a portion of South Road were added to the route in 1993.

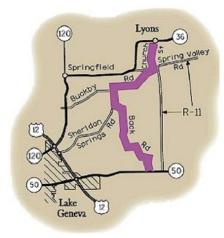


Rustic Road 12

Location: Walworth County. This route includes Back Road, Sheridan Springs Road, Spring Valley Road and Church Road, between WIS 50 and WIS 36 adjoining R11 & R36.

Length: 5.7 miles **Surface:** Paved

At various points, the road offers panoramic views of lush green hills and valleys. The sharply curving route passes outstanding Kettle Moraine formations, pine and spruce plantations, a tamarack swamp, and several ponds. R12 crosses the White River and runs through the community of Lyons with its several quaint churches.



Location: Walworth County. Snake Road, from the intersection with WIS 50 in the City of Lake Geneva, west to the intersection with WIS 50 in the Town of Geneva.

Length: 2.7 miles **Surface:** Paved

This loop is located in a countryside of natural and unspoiled beauty. Sometimes bounded by split rail fence, this road offers the traveler a panorama of colors in the fall as it passes through an area of native vegetation and wildlife near Lake Geneva.

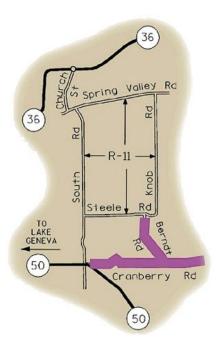


Rustic Road 36

Location: Walworth County. Includes Cranberry Road and Berndt Road east from WIS 50, adjoining R11 and R12.

Length: 3.6 miles **Surface:** Paved

This narrow, hilly route, obtained its name from the fact that early settlers harvested cranberries from nearby bogs. R36 winds through Wisconsin farmland, glacial marshes and knobs and features a wide variety of trees and shrubs.

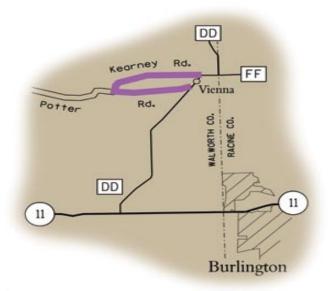




Location: Walworth County. Includes portions of Kearney and Potter Roads, forming a loop off County DD in the Town of Spring Prairie.

Length: 2.5 miles **Surface:** Paved

Potter Road runs adjacent to winding Sugar Creek as both pass through Nature Conservancy forests and wetlands. The steeply glaciated uplands of Kearney Road include a mix of farmlands and pine woodlots.



Waukesha County

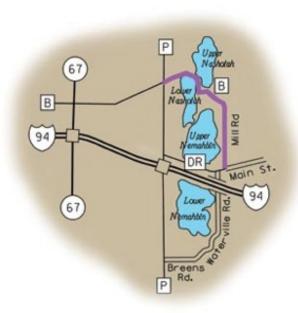
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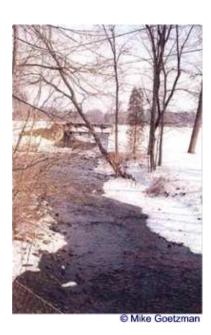
Location: Waukesha County. R10 includes portions of County B and Mill Road between

County P and Main Street.

Length: 2.51 miles **Surface:** Paved

This curving trail rides the narrow isthmus between Upper and Lower Nashotah Lakes and runs south past Upper Nemahbin Lake. The broad fields of Pabst Farms and the remainder of its once famous dairy barns lie to the west. To the north of Mill Road, the red-tiled spires and gables of Nashota House Seminary grace the horizon.

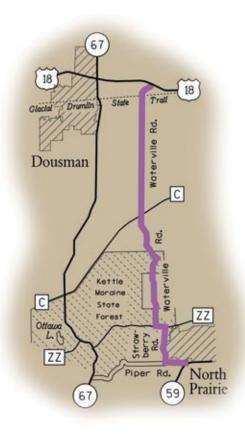




Location: Waukesha County. Includes portions of Waterville Road, Town Road G, County ZZ, Strawberry and Piper Roads, from US 18 to WIS 59.

Length: 7.3 miles **Surface:** Paved

R86 offers the traveler scenic views of rugged forest and open prairie as it meanders through the Southern Unit of the Kettle Moraine State Forest. The Waterville Road route also provides access to the Ice Age Trail and the Scuppernong Hiking Trail.





Waushara County

Rustic Road 48

Location: Waushara County. Twenty-Sixth Road, beginning at County Highway H

northwest to County Highway W.

Length: 2.1 miles **Surface:** Paved

This road curves between rolling hills typical of the ground moraines found in Wisconsin's central plains region. It passes through the valley of the Pine River, a Class II trout stream in a natural state. Much of the agricultural land and fallow fields support ring-necked pheasants, sandhill cranes, deer, red fox, beaver, otter and a wide variety of song birds. A log cabin and two farmhouses, built before the Civil War on 160-acre Homestead Act grants, are visible from 26th Road.

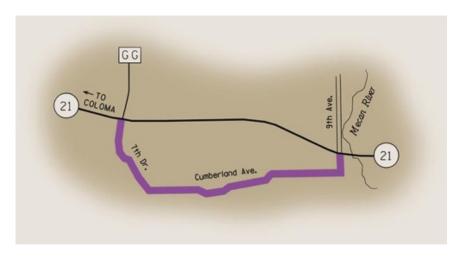


Rustic Road 102

Location: Waushara County. Cumberland Avenue and 7th Avenue forming a loop off WIS 21 in the Town of Richford.

Length: 2.2 miles **Surface:** Paved and gravel

Rustic Road 102 features roadside panoramas of native trees, prairies and dense woods that form a canopy in the spring and summer that turns golden in the autumn. This beautiful forest and field mix supports a multitude of wildlife including deer, red fox, pheasants and sandhill cranes, short-eared owls and many songbirds. Wildflowers such as wild geraniums, Solomons Seal and wild asparagus are abundant, and Amish buggies are a common sight. The route offers access to the Mecan River segment of the Ice Age Trail.



Washington County

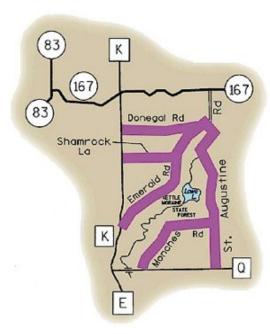
Rustic Road 33

Location: Washington County. Portions of St. Augustine Road, Monches Road, Emerald Road, Shamrock Lane, and Donegal Road; this loop lies between County Highway Q and County Highway K.

Length: 12.1 miles

Surface: Paved

This winding, hilly route passes through a natural kettle area, mainly devoted to agriculture, offering travelers a view of the church spires atop Holy Hill, a well known seminary in southeastern Wisconsin. Another section of the road offers a view of Lowe Lake. Note: Donegal Road was added in 1996.

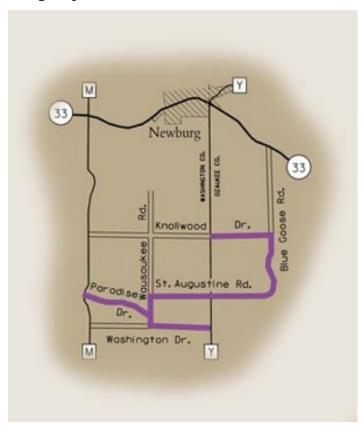


Location: Washington and Ozaukee Counties. Portions of Paradise and Washington drives, Wausaukee, St. Augustine, Bluegoose and Knollwood roads between County M and abutting County Y south of Newburg.

Length: 6.7 miles

Surface: Paved and gravel

This wooded, rural road is located in one of the highest points in Washington County and offers a scenic panorama of the surrounding countryside. There are several historical buildings and farmsteads including a log home and an old fieldstone house dating to the late 1800's. While on Blue Goose and St. Augustine roads in Ozaukee County, travelers will go past portions of the Cedarburg Bog State Natural Area - one of the largest and most biologically diverse wetland areas in Wisconsin.



Winnebago County

Rustic Road 72

Location: Winnebago County. Mountain Road, beginning at its intersection with County M and proceeding in a southerly then easterly direction until its intersection again with County M

Length: 3.1 miles

Surface: Paved and gravel

R72 offers great wildlife and wildflower viewing in a serene setting. Mountain Road passes through the middle of 270 acres owned by the Nature Conservancy. It is home to many birds including sandhill cranes, short-eared owls, northern bobwhite quail, and pheasants. The traveler will encounter an abundance of wildflowers bordering the roadway including may apple, trillium, Canada anenome, wild geraniums, Soloman's seal, wild roses, and goldenrods.

